

Republic of the Philippines **Department of Education**NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION



March 5, 2025

REGIONAL MEMORANDUM No.2 1 2s. 2025

To:

Schools Division Superintendents

Schools District Supervisors

Division Learner Rights and Protection Focal Persons

School Heads

All Others Concerned

CONDUCT OF THE CLASSROOM-BASED SESSION AGAINST ONLINE SEXUAL ABUSE OR EXPLOITATION OF CHILDREN (OSAEC) AND CHILD SEXUAL ABUSE OR EXPLOITATION MATERIALS (CSAEM)

- 1. This is relative to the attached Memorandum DM-OUOPS-2025-11-01288 from **MALCOLM S. GARMA**, Assistant Secretary, Officer-in-Charge, Office of the Undersecretary for Operations, Department of Education, DepEd Complex, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City, dated February 19, 2025, re: Conduct of the Classroom-Based Session against Online Sexual Abuse or Exploitation of Children (OSAEC) and Child Sexual Abuse or Exploitation Materials (CSAEM).
- 2. Particular attention is invited to paragraphs 2, 3, 4, and 5 of the said Memorandum for reference on how to implement the classroom-based session against Online Sexual Abuse or Exploitation of Children and Child Sexual Abuse or Exploitation Materials.
- 3. For clarifications regarding this concern, please contact the Regional LRP section through email at lrps.ncr.@deped.gov.ph
- 4. Immediate compliance with this Memorandum is desired.

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FROM

MALCOLM S. GARM

Assistant Secretary, Office

Office of the Undersecretary

SUBJECT

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DATE

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In compliance with Presidential Proclamation No. 417 "Declaring the Second Tuesday of February of Every Year as Safer Internet Day for Children [in the] Philippines," and in line with the promulgation of the Implementing Rules and Regulation (IRR) of Republic Act No. 11930, entitled "An Act Punishing Online Sexual Abuse or Exploitation of Children (OSAEC) and Anti-Child Sexual Abuse or Exploitation Materials (CSAEM)," the Department of Education (DepEd) is mandated to ensure the implementation of anti-OSAEC and CSAEM policy in schools through its Learner Rights and Protection Division (LRPD). In line thereto, the LRPD in collaboration with the Curriculum and Teaching Strand and in partnership with the Stairway Foundation Inc. proposes the conduct of a classroom-based learning session to increase awareness against OSAEC and CSAEM through integration in appropriate subject areas its core messages at the elementary and secondary levels.

These learning sessions will directly reach our learners, equipping them with knowledge and tools and increasing their awareness against OSAEC and CSAEM. The session guides can be accessed through this link: https://tinyurl.com/2025AntiOSAECDraft.

For guidance on how to implement the classroom-based session guides, an instructional video is prepared, kindly refer to this link: https://bit.ly/SIDPhOrientation.



Moreover, to ensure the implementation of anti-OSAEC and CSAEM policies in Schools, an instructional classroom-based session of the anti-OSAEC and CSAEM shall be conducted for each key stage and shall be delivered by the class advisers during their Homeroom subject. The classroom-based session shall be delivered during any day of March.

To ensure the effectiveness and efficiency of the conduct of the said activity, the different governance levels are expected to answer the data collection forms. Accordingly, in compliance with the Data Privacy Act, teacher-designates and guidance advocates who will be handling learner disclosure are requested to fill out the non-disclosure agreement. Kindly refer to the link below for the copy of the reporting forms and the non-disclosure agreement.

https://bit.ly/SIDPh25ReportingForms

For compliance.

Thank you very much.